STAND. COM. REP. NO. 208

Honolulu, Hawaii

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RE: S.B. No. 2381

Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi President of the Senate Twenty-Eighth State Legislature Regular Session of 2016 State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Transportation and Energy, to which was referred S.B. No. 2381 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE KIHEI BOAT HARBOR,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to make an appropriation for design, permitting, and maintenance dredging for the Kihei Boat Harbor.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Land and Natural Resources and Aha Moku Advisory Committee.

Your Committee finds that small boat harbors in Hawaii play an important role in the ocean recreational experiences of residents and visitors. Such experiences include yacht racing, canoe regattas, board sailing, ocean swimming, fishing, and surfing. The quality of ocean recreation experiences may be diminished by the inadequate upkeep of the State's boating facilities.

Your Committee further finds that despite the State's efforts to dredge the channel entrance and turning basin of Kihei Boat Harbor in 2007, launching and vessel retrieval problems continue to persist, creating unsafe conditions during certain ocean conditions.

As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Transportation and Energy that is attached to this



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report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2381 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to your Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Transportation and Energy,

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LORRAINE R. Chair INOUYE,



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The Senate Twenty-Eighth Legislature State of Hawaiʻi

Record of Votes Committee on Transportation and Energy TRE

Bill / Resolution No.:* $SB2381$	Committee Referral: Date: TRE, WAM 02-04-16				
The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure.					
If so, then the previous decision was to:					
The Recommendation is:					
X Pass, unamended Pass, with amendments Hold Recommit 2312 2311 2310 2313					
Members		Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
INOUYE, Lorraine R. (C)					
GABBARD, Mike (VC)					
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